

## Proposed Bill No. 172

February Session, 2012

LCO No. 645

Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by: SEN. RORABACK, 30th Dist.

## AN ACT INCREASING THE PERSONAL NEEDS ALLOWANCE FOR CERTAIN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 17b-106 of the 2012 supplement to the general statutes
- 2 be amended to (1) restore the personal needs allowance to 2010 levels
- 3 for long-term care facility residents who receive Medicaid and federal
- 4 Supplemental Security Income Program payments, and (2) add a cost
- 5 of living allowance of 3.6 per cent, making the new base allowance
- 6 seventy-one dollars and fifty cents.

## Statement of Purpose:

To increase the personal needs allowance for certain long-term care facility residents.